Abstract

A mobile terminal apparatus checks if a user is
a proper user based on the operation of the user and,

5   if the result of authentication is negative, uploads
predetermined data, which is part of data stored in
a memory, to a predetermined server. After the
transmission is completed, the mobile terminal
apparatus erases the uploaded data from the memory.

10   It is also possible to instruct the mobile terminal
apparatus to upload and erase data from an external
source using an electronic mail or a telephone tone
signal sequence. This may protect data contained in
mobile terminal apparatus that has been lost, from a

15   person who improperly attempts to access the data.